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(As Amended))

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Sir:

**STATEMENT REQUESTING DELETION OF PERSONS
NAMED IN PRIOR APPLICATION**

Anthony Bernard, Daniel Heckmann, Glen Meakem, Jason Reneau, Frederick Roberts, and Robert Stevens were included as inventors in the prior application. Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.63(d), Applicants request that Anthony Bernard, Daniel Heckmann, Glen Meakem, Jason Reneau, Frederick Roberts, and Robert Stevens be removed as inventors in the present application.

Respectfully submitted,

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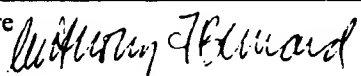
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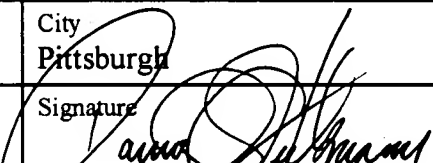
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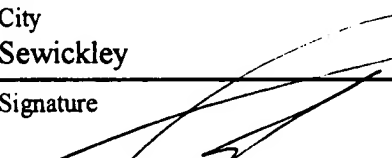
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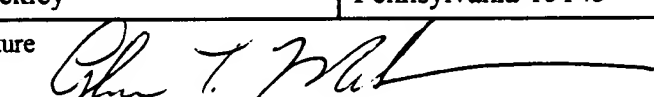
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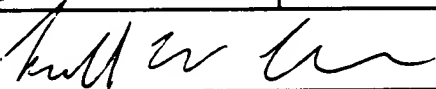
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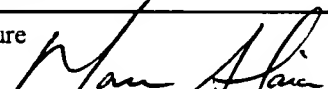
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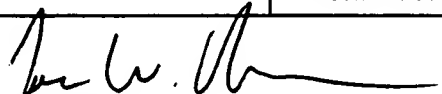
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